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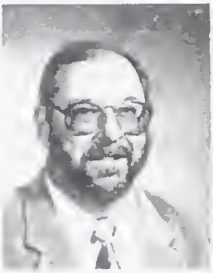

President's Page - A.K.A. Mindless Meanderings by Doug Jennings

O.K., so what does he mean by "mindless meanderings?" After writing the V.P. Corner for so long, usually I would try to pick a topic that I could help inform, enlighten, or educate the club membership with in a somewhat humorous way. Yes, I know some of you didn't see it as humorous; it was just a waste of time. Hopefully, you will appreciate this issue as a new beginning for the club and me as a contributor.

After a LOT more effort than I thought would be necessary to find new people to take over all of the offices that had been vacated due to resignations, I finally persuaded Carrie Best to do triple duty for the club. It didn't hurt that Jim Best has had a few hospital stays and is currently recovering at home from a serious infection he had contracted. Carrie mentioned that they wouldn't be able to do as many shows as in the past because of Jim's medical issues and she would have more time on her hands. Bless her heart! I knew how to fill those long hours caring for Jim. So, the scramble to fill all of the positions of the governing body of the club is now completed, but the last appointment didn't come until last week (just before New Year's).

As of now here are the positions and how they stand. I'm still the president. Here's the list of following officers/board members: V.P. Jim Best, Secretary/treasurer & Bugle editor-Carrie Best, Historian and club medal organizer-Nancy Yee, Trustee-Randy Rush, Funny Bone column, Trustee-Walter Thomas, show coordinator and yearly IASAC meeting organizer, Mike Sprouse-club and show news on good silver bar finds, Trustee-William (Bill) Doty, writing about the creation process, and ideas needed for silver art bar productions, and the newest member to the IASAC board of trustees-Chris Geiner who will share his expertise on what is new in the art bar/round world, including his own line of CMG art bars and the artistry involved to illustrate his ideas.

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Mindless Meanderings

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As the year progresses and the board becomes more cohesive and comfortable with one another, there may be other changes that will be considered to help in running an international organization. As of now, because of distance, time constraints, and new officers learning their roles, most things will have to wait awhile. However, IASAC wants you to consider a position as an officer or board member. Most of these areas to be addressed will be published well in advance so the membership knows what is going on and why.

This brings me to the end of this diatribe of what's going on with the club. MEMBERSHIP PARTICIPATION IS IMPERATIVE! It was very disheartening to learn that only one person responded to the questionnaire that was published prior to the club meeting in MN. Seriously, only one person had the time to respond to the questions asked? Without you, the member, it is difficult for us, the board, to know which direction we should take the club. For example, Chris G. threw out an idea that I would have never come up with on my own. He suggested that one of the Bugles be like an illustrated comic book with a story line and completely illustrated for most of the Bugle. I think it is an interesting idea and told Chris to work on that idea, but he needs an illustrator. He has the story line, but can't draw worth a lick. So, any member, that enjoys drawing, should contact Chris so we can get this baby off the ground.

Ending on a good note, I am impressed with how many of you were so prompt in renewing your memberships, and how many of you not only paid for 2015, but included extra dues for future years. GREAT JOB! Thank you for believing in the club and enjoying the hobby.

Until next time, keep collecting what you enjoy and what you can afford!

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"CRAFTS by DOTY"
HOW I GET MY IDEAS!

All of my bars have something to do with my life experiences.

To date I have made 10 different Art Bars. I was inspired by Archie Kidd to start making silver bars.

Number one was "Even Nature Knows"bar. This was a photo that I took in 2006 while out hunting Javelina in the Arizona desert. I thought it looked like a cross so being a Christian I wanted a photo of it. I showed the photo to Archie with the poem written about it and he thought it would be a neat art bar. So in 2011 I had SilverTowne mint produce the bar for me.

Number two was my "ARIZONA 100 YEARS" bar.
I live in Arizona so I thought it would be nice to have a centennial bar for the state.

Number three was my "GOD IS GOOD" bar.
This bar comes from a saying that we use in our church(Pinnacle Community Church) in Phoenix. When the pastor sayes God is Good we answer All the Time and if the Pastor sayes All the Time we say God is Good.

Number four was "WAKE UP AMERICA" # 1.(What part of Illegal do you not understand.)

I went to Home Depot to hire some labor to help me set up a big tent for my 5th wheel camper and got arrested for hiring illegal aliens in Arizona. I ask the policeman if he knew that the men were illegal and he said yes. This is when the big argument started. I told him to do his job and put them in his car and haul them off, because I did not even get to talk to them before he ran up to arrest me. We had about a 45 minute debate before he decided to let me go.

Number five was my "CHAPMAN MAZDA" bar. This is a commercial bar that I made for a car dealer to give out at his car shows. I bought a truck from this dealer and got him interested in silver art bars.

Number six was my "WAKE UP AMERICA" # 2.(Marriage Is.) This comes from my Christian background and I have been Married to a woman for 53 years and do not like to be put or forced into a class that I do not believe in.

Number seven was my "WAKE UP AMERICA" bar # 3.(Vote Responsibly) This comes from my beliefs that we should vote out all of the self-serving politicians and get people in both parties that want to do something good for our country and not just line their pockets. The good old USA is going down hill fast!

Number eight was the "MUNDS PARK" bar. I have a summer home in Munds Park, Arizona which is a community of about 3200 homes. It is up in the mountains where it is not hot in the summer. The people said that there was nothing about Munds Park so I made a bar about the temp. difference from Phoenix.

Number nine is my "WAKE UP AMERICA" bar # 4. (The trial of JESUS CHRIST) This bar comes from a sermon I heard this summer in the little church in Munds Park and it hit home. The Christian religion is being persecuted by all others and I thought it was time to stand up and say something

Number ten is a double sided reverse that I make for my bullion bars.

Bill Doty # 622

VP's Outlook

I am happy to be on the board of this great organization and would like to share some of my experiences, travels, and finds with all of you. I just recently attended the FUN (Florida United Numismatists) show, and was not able to "walk" the show as in previous years due to surgery on my right leg and a very bad left hip. I was in a motorized cart which was not an easy task as there were so many people in the aisles that it was hard to navigate. I did not find many good bars or rounds at this show as it is getting tougher and tougher to find the "older" stuff that I like. There are a lot more collectors out there collecting the "older classics", which makes it more difficult to find them on the floors of coin shows.

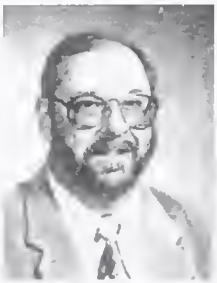
I had a nice display of IASAC bars and rounds and some other "older classic" bars and rounds at the IASAC table(which was provided to us by FUN "**FREE**" of charge). I talked to many people that had never seen art bars/rounds and were not aware that they were collectible. Maybe we will get some new collectors/members as I handed out several Bugles. I am in hopes to pass on my knowledge of Silver Art Collectibles to those who have an interest by handing out more Bugles throughout the state of Florida and Georgia.

If anyone has a show they are going to attend and wants a few Bugles to share with new potential members, then please let Carrie or myself know in plenty of time so we can send you a few. The more we as members, share our knowledge about Silver Art Collectibles, the more members we can join our organization.

I hope everyone has a wonderful Valentine's Day and remember there are a lot of Valentine bars/rounds out there that would make great gifts for your Sweetheart.

Jim Best

Meet IASAC Officers and Trustees



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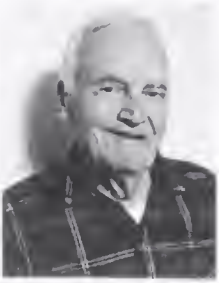

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Walter Thomas

Valentine's theme jokes for the funny bone....

By Randy Rush

Worst thing to say on a first date:

I used to have a real bad bedwetting problem ... but the last couple of weeks I've gotten it under control.

I know we just met and this might seem a little sudden ... but could I borrow five hundred dollars?

Go ahead and Super Size - I found spare change in the sofa today.

Something tells me that you're very special ... but with medication I can usually ignore it.

I don't see my ex-girlfriend that much ... thanks to the U.S. Department of Justice."

Do you want to play doctor? That'll be five hundred dollars.

Wait till my wife hears about this!

I had a good time tonight. I'd love to see you again in six to eight months with good behavior.

A couple drove down a country road for several miles, not saying a word. An earlier discussion had led to an argument and neither of them wanted to concede their position. As they passed a barnyard of mules, goats and pigs, the husband asked sarcastically, "Relatives of yours?" "Yep," the wife replied, "in-laws."

"Love" stamps

A guy walks into a post office one day to see a middle-aged, balding man standing at the counter methodically placing "Love" stamps on bright pink envelopes with hearts all over them. He then takes out a perfume bottle and starts spraying scent all over them. His curiosity getting the better of him, he goes up to the balding man and asks him what he is doing.
The man says: "I'm sending out one thousand Valentine cards signed: 'Guess who?'"
"But why?" asks the man.
"I'm a divorce lawyer." the man replies.

MINI AUCTION

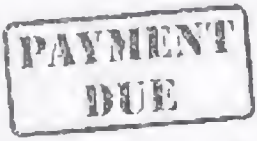
Please send all bids for the items listed below to Nancy Yee at P.O. Box 28415, Seattle WA 98118-8415. The deadline for this Mini Auction is March 5, 2015. Thanks for your bids!

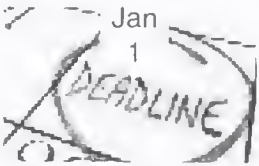
Two USPS 1971 Bronze rounds, enameled by Ivan L. Rash
Suggested bid - $15 each

USSC-219 1974 Thankfulness, Mintage 4500 (R-4)
Suggested bid - $35

GOLD-8 Mission Inn, Mintage 500 (serial #0847)
Suggested bid - $50

IASAC-31 Moon round, enameled bronze by Ivan L. Rash
Suggested bid - $20





Have you paid your dues yet?

If not, you will not be receiving the next Bugle.
Be sure you pay your dues **NOW!**
Your dues are due January 1

Send your dues to IASAC
c/o Carrie Best
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Notes from Nancy's Mailbag & More.....

I wasn't sure how much more mail I'd be receiving since I passed the torch on to a new president. However, there was a fair amount, including Christmas cards from quite a few of you. **Michael Turrini's** is usually the first to arrive, but those honors went to **Sue Golding** this year. She sent her annual letter with photos from adventures during the year, including a trip to the Wisconsin Dells in May. Sue writes, "What beautiful country with all the dairy farms, livestock, barns and silos. We spent a day at the National Farm Toys Museum and Field of Dreams in Dyersville, Iowa. Another day was spent at the Barnum and Bailey Circus World Museum in Baraboo where we got to see several beautifully refurbished circus wagons. On our last day there we attended a huge car show with about 1200 vintage vehicles."

Linda Spellman wrote on her card, "I have a new great grandson- Erica's little boy Wyatt. He is 10 months old and of course we think he is quite wonderful."

There were also cards and phone calls from Walter & Eda Thomas, Doug Jennings, Joe Ramos and Randy Guberman. It was good to hear from everyone.

On a very sad note, **Phyllis Eubanks** emailed to let me know her husband of 55 years, **Don Eubanks** passed away December 28 after a brief illness. Don had been a club member for many years, and was also on Duane Spellman's famous Mail Bid list, which was one of the things we held in common. Don always included a nice letter with his renewals and other correspondence. Mr. Eubanks was a WWII vet like my Dad and enjoyed baseball. I'll miss hearing from him, and will keep in touch with Phyllis.

A post card just came from **F. Lee Foley**. He writes, "Look what I found in my art bar book. I thought that I had filled this card out for the MOON round to mail back to you. Sorry. The art work on the round is very good and I'm proud to say that I did get one. Don't know how many were made. Mine is in my collection with some other space things I have. I'll try to come up with something for the 2015 Greensboro bar."

And to the & More part.....

It's early in January, weeks before you will be reading this issue of the Bugle.

We have been on the road a fair bit lately, ringing in the New Year in Oregon with family. For those of you who attended the 2013 convention in Portland, and made the drive through the Columbia Gorge, you should see the area in the wintertime on a bright, sunny (and very cold) day. The many waterfalls on either side of the Columbia - Horsetail, Oneonta,, Bridal Veil and Multnomah on the Oregon side, were all frozen, and so were the hundreds of other unnamed ones. It was quite beautiful. When there was water spewing over the cliffs, it froze and turned to fog as the wind blew it sideways. All the mountains were 'out' in winter coats of white. It's a rare day when you can see all of them.

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Notes from Nancy's Mailbag & More.....

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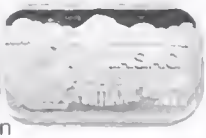
Several days later we were headed north to meet friends in LaConner, and the mood was very different. It was so foggy you could barely see across town, and so rainy the riverbanks were near to overflowing. Thousands of snow geese were resting in the tulip fields near our destination, and resembled a field of white flowers - honking loudly as I rolled down my car window to take a photo.

And the New Year meant it was time to put away Christmas decorations and clean house. I have many ornaments from my club travels, including a leather cowboy hat from Dallas, a Rock City house from Chattanooga, sparkly red dice from Las Vegas, a quilted stocking from rural Ohio and a woven ball of colored string from some African nation, purchased at the Inner Harbor in Baltimore - just to name a few. It's always fun to reflect on those trips and the memories associated with those ornaments. Just some rambling thoughts.....

When the club met in Portland in 2013, it was decided to melt any bars and rounds that remained from bumper years. We also decided to limit the number of bars and rounds we produced to the actual number ordered, plus a few spares. The disposition of these older bars and rounds will happen this year, at the time we place our order for the 2015 bar.



If you would like one of the Dalton rounds (2012) or Portland bars (2013), please order soon! We have a fairly good supply of both in silver, enameled and same-numbered sets. The clock is ticking. This summer they will return to a molten state. It should make the final mintage fairly rare. Ordering information is provided on the IASAC Store page.

Hopefully, by the time you read the April issue of ***The Silver Bugle*** there will be a new design to introduce for the Greensboro convention. So far, no entries have been received, but we still have several weeks before the contest ends.

Lastly, if you have any topics regarding club history that you'd like to read about, please send me a note via Internet or snail mail. I'd love to hear from you.

Best wishes for 2015 and the Year of the Sheep which is coming soon! Gung Hay Faat Choy!!

Nancy

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IASAC Store

This listing is for current items on hand. All orders are processed in the order received. If you are interested in selling bars/round back to the club, please contact Nancy Yee by email (iasacnancy@comcast.net) or at the mailing address at the bottom of these listings. Thank you.

IASAC-14	1998-Pittsburgh Convention (round)	
	(1) silver, serial #414	$75
	(1) antique bronze, no serial #	$10
IASAC-16	2000-Sacramento Convention (round)	
	(1) silver, serial #391	$75
IASAC-18	2002-Cincinnati River Boat (round)	
	(1) silver, serial #043	$75
IASAC-20	2004-Dalton Convention (round)	
	(1) silver, serial # 043	$75
	(1) enameled silver, serial #0008, nicely toned	$95
	(1) antique bronze, no serial #	$10
IASAC-23	2007 Indianapolis Race Car (ingot)	
	(1) silver, serial #043	$75
	antique bronze, no serial #	$ 7
IASAC-24	2008-Baltimore Crab Cake (round)	
	(1) enameled silver, serial #0008	$85
	antique bronze, no serial #	$ 8
IASAC-25	2009-Los Angeles Convention (ingot)	
	antique bronze, no serial #	$ 8
IASAC-26	2010-Las Vegas Convention (round)	
	(1)silver, serial #709	$70
	antique silver, no serial #	$ 8
IASAC-27	2010-IASAC 25th Anniversary (round)	
	(1) silver, serial #734	$70
IASAC-28	2011-Chicago Convention (ingot)	
	(3) antique bronze, no serial #	$ 9
IASAC-29	2012 Everything's Just Peachy - Dalton (round)	
	silver, with serial #	$50
	enameled silver, with serial #	$70
	silver & enam. set, with matching serial #s	$110
	antique bronze, no serial #	$ 7
IASAC-30	2013-Portland Beaver (ingot)	
	silver, with serial #	$45
	enameled silver, with serial #	$65
	silver & enam., with matching serial #s	$105
	antique bronze, no serial #	$ 7
IASAC-31	2014- IASAC Visits the MOON-Minneapolis (round)	
	silver, with serial #	$45
	enameled silver, with serial #	$65
	silver & enam. set, with matching serial #s	$105
	antique bronze, no serial #	$ 7

Apparel & Accessories

T-shirt, royal blue - (S-M-L) postpaid	$15
Bottle cap magnet, ltd. edition of 50, postpaid	$5
Bottle cap keychain, free if you cover $1 postage	

POSTAGE/INSURANCE $5 for two items/ $6 for three or more items.
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WANTED: King of Hearts Jack of Diamonds by Madison Mint - Contact Chris Geiner •• goldnugget86@aol.com •• 419-279-3283.

WANTED - TM-9 USA - BC Club Bar; TM-9C; TM-Special USA - BC Club Bar Literary Award; TM-40EN USA "Sam" The Olympics Mascot - 1984; TM-40V - 1984-not enameled; Doug Jennings 732-279-1728.

COLLECTOR wants MAD 224 - King of Hearts, Hauser Miller Bars HM-1 - 1 oz., 5 oz., or 10 oz. Call Randy Guberman 314-422-8971. HM-2 Page 176 5th Edition.

FOR SALE: Duckwall Brand (SM-43) $125. Birthday Aloha (SIL-14) $55 or $65 for set of silver & bronze. Collectible vintage 1975 USSC catalog of issues, including a check-list, $35. 1993 update of Kidd/Rood Guidebook (limited edition of 500) $35. All items postpaid. Make checks payable to Nancy Yee. P.O. Box 28415, Seattle WA 98118. Email: iasacnancy@comcast.net

NEW ISSUES

Recently Released

by Chris Geiner

Provident Prospector

Each 10 ounce Prospector bar is composed of 10 troy ounces of .999 fine silver.

Each Provident Metals Prospector Round is composed of 1 troy ounce of .999 fine silver and is 39mm in diameter.

CMG Mint
Jack Frost

Mintage: 40 plain
30 enameled
1 ounce .999 silver.
Price is $46 plus $3 s/h.

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Killer Playign Card

Mintage: 35 plain
35 enameled
1 ounce .999 silver.
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Provident Zombucks®

Starving Liberty is the seventh of 10 rounds included in the Zombucks® limited bullion series. Bullion sales begin January 1, 2015 and will conclude on April 1st, 2015! After April 1st, these bullion rounds will no longer be available and a total mintage number will be published.

Secure your Zombucks® Starving Liberty 1 oz silver 39mm bullion rounds containing .999 fine silver. Each round arrives in undead condition. The Starving Liberty is also available in Copper.

MORE NEW ISSUES

Recently Released
by Chris Geiner

The Sheep

The 2015 Silver Shield Year of the Sheep is the first coin in the new Silver Shield Lunar Series!

This unique design stands out from all other Lunar Series on the market and keeps true to the Silver Shield spirit.

The Year of the Sheep features a visceral image of two wolves eating an ignorant and docile sheep.

This symbolizes the cunning men that prey upon the naive and indoctrinated masses.

The 2015 Year of the Sheep is accented with the Chinese symbol for sheep. The final detail is a lonely sheep dog howling a distant warning, which symbolizes those that are aware and prepared.

The 2015 Silver Shield Year of the Sheep is available at SDBullion now in a 1 ounce Brilliant Uncirculated strike or a 1 ounce Proof-Like strike with an air-tite, display case and a unique red and gold numbered Certificate of Authenticity.

Specifications:

1 troy oz .999 fine BU & PROOF Silver - 40mm

NEARLY EXTINCT

I have been collecting silver art bars for many years. It seems that the vintage art bars were more plentiful when silver was below $10 spot. I would go into coin shops and coin shows and find art bars all the time. Sometimes even the rare ones such as Green Country Mint and Greathouse. However the last few years silver art bars have been drying up. Everytime I go searching for art bars now it seems that their aren't many to choose from or even none at all. Even the "so called" common pieces are becoming less available for purchase. This experience made me draw to the conclusion that their is no such thing as a common art bar anymore as they are all becoming rare to find. I'm sure when silver has risen to $50 again a couple years ago that more art bars have gotten melted being as coin dealers treat them as just silver rather than a piece of collectible art. I think it's a good idea to snatch up any old art bars you see. Even if it's not a design that you're crazy about you can at least say that you saved another piece of silver art bar history. Many Collectors are having no choice to to resort to other means to find art bars such as Ebay. Spending large amounts to obtain a piece to fill the hole in their collection. Many coin dealers are now starting to pull the vintage art bars from their stock and listing them on ebay as they now are starting to see that these pieces are worth more than just silver.

Chris Geiner

The Kirk Collection, An Enigma

by Ken Potter – NLG

One of the items listed in the all editions of The Guide Book of Silver Art Bars, (excluding the 6th edition, which would have been better titled "Supplement to the 5th Edition"), is the peculiar entry of the Kirk Collections of sterling silver medals depicting Disney characters. These weigh 2.3 ounces for each of the 12 medals.

I say it is a peculiar entry into because these medals are one of, if not the only medals struck in sterling silver that got into the Guide at a time when there were literally tens of thousands of other modern and not-so-modern sterling silver medals around that did not get in because they were not a one ounce silver bar.

Yes, a few other medals got in but these were better described as one ounce .999 silver units or fractionals thereof issued by silver bar makers such as United States Silver Corporation and Foster & Co. and thus they had a direct tie-in with the bars from these issuers. It was logical to include them.

The author holding his two prized hubs. These hubs weighed in at a hefty 2+ pounds each.

The Kirk Collection, An Enigma

by Ken Potter – NLG

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None the less, The Kirk Collection of sterling silver art medals has become almost synonymous with silver bar collecting and is highly sought after.

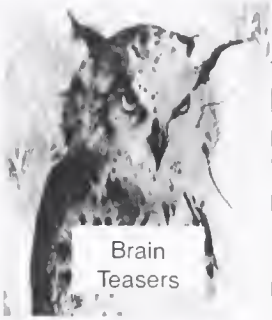
Each of the medals boasts a popular Disney character such as Mickey Mouse, Snow White, Bambi, etc.Now here is the part you probably didn't know. Who made them for Kirk? The short answer is that they were made by The Robert Williams Mint. Several years ago Roger Williams had some difficulty and had to sell off much of their tooling, presentation cases for medals, coin flips, gift boxes, etc.

Much of the tooling in the form of dies and hubs (a hub is a master tool used to press out dies), were sold by a second party through eBay and direct sale to collectors and others.

When they first appeared on eBay they were miscategorized and saw few bids. In those early weeks of bidding many great buys were to be had for hubs and dies that sold for fractions of what similar items sold for weeks later when the "johhny-come-latelys finally figured out what was going on and many collectors began bidding.

I was lucky to get in on the action very early when the prices were low. In one of the lots I purchased direct sale, were two of the Kirk Collection hubs (which again were used to make dies). These two were for Pluto and Dopey. I never saw any of the other characters offered for sale. So while I've never been able to get a set of the medals, I can be satisfied with the two of the hubs I was able to buy.

In these sales I purchased maybe two dozen silver bar and silver postage stamp (or stamp-like) hubs. In the months to come I will share more of my purchases from those sales that are related to the silver bar hobby.



Brain Teaser

Thanks to everyone who sent in an answer for the last puzzle. Our eagle-eyed players found many words listed twice, and one that was there only once, but appeared twice in the listing!! Time to hang up my pencil and pass this puzzler on to someone new. Carlton Dodge has submitted a puzzle on GOLF which will appear in the Bugle soon.

In the meantime, thanks for playing all these years. Everyone who sent in an answer will receive a small prize. My best to: Gary Fouquet, Tony Irvin, Carlton Dodge, Marion Kendrick, Bruce Carlson, Lynnae Clark, Simcha Kuritzky, Glenn Perry and Peggy Conrad.

Nancy

Winners willbe selected from correct answers received on or before March 7, 2015. Mail your answers to Nancy Yee • PO Box 28415 • Seattle, WA 98118-8415.

Theme: The Game of Golf

Please find the following words: amateur, Berg, birdie,Bobby Jones, bogie, brassie cleek, divot, dog leg, drive, eagle, fade, fairway, flag, golf, green, hole, lag, lie, Nicklaus, nineteenth hole, Old course, out of bounds, Palmer, PGA, ponds, putter, resort, rough, Ryder Cup, shank, slice spoon, tee, The Babe, turf, U.S. Open, water hazard, wedge, Wie, Woods.

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IASAC Treasury Update

Secretary/Treasurer- Carrie I. Best

Balance forwarded		$2247.14
Income:		
Dues/Donations		$ 50.00
Store Sales		$491.00
Mini Auction Sales		$ 8.00
		$659.00
Expenses:		
Postage	$ 68.21	
Publishing *Silver Bugle & Postage*	$ 777.28	
Website fees	$ 27.80	
Shipping of 2014 Rounds	$ 287.71	
	$1161.00	
Ending Balance		$1745.14

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUSITY

A BIG THANK YOU to **Ken Klein and Ivan L Rush** for donations of silver to the club (mini auction); and to Len Kruihof and F. Lee Foley for cash donations.

MORE MAIL:

A few notes included with dues were from **Michelle and Garrett Burke** stating they thought "North Carolina sounds great for 2015!" . **Larry Pung** sent a happy face. **Glenn E Perry** Sent a note, "Happy New Year to all". **F Lee Foley** sent a note, "Here is my dues for 2015 and donation for the club. This has been a very different year. A lot of stuff has gone on. We have made it though and will also go on and do some good this next year. I do enjoy the *Silver Bugle very much. This time to say thank you all for the good work and everything you do for us. I was able to get a few more bars and rounds this year. I do like the New Moon round (goes also with some of the space things I have). Well thanks again for everything and hope you'll have a very good year*".

IASAC Meeting 2015

We will hold our annual membership meeting October 3, 2015 during the NCNA 57th Annual Coin Show & Convention at the Greensboro Coliseum in Greensboro, NC. More details will be published in next issue of the *Silver Bugle.*

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